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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DISPLAYING DISTRIBUTED MULTIRESOLUTION SCENES

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TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$200	\$ 0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$360	\$ 0
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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASOOND FOR ALLOWANCE

Dear Sir:

The Examiner's Reasons for Allowance have been reviewed. Applicant does not concur with the grouping of claims 12 and 17 which have differing features and recitations. Claims 23, 28, and 31-33 have been grouped together as well as with claims 6 and 12 and Applicant does not concur with this undifferentiated grouping of claims that have different recitations. Applicant asserts that each claim is distinguished from the prior art individually by virtue of the combination of elements as recited in that particular claim.

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